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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2008, in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections in view of the following amendments and remarks. The period of response is extended one (1) month from July 18, 2008 to August 18, 2008 by a one (1) month Petition for Extension of Time.

- I. <u>Amendments to the Claims</u> begin on page 2 of this response;
- II. Remarks begin on page 9 of this response; and
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